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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Johann ARNOLD et al.

Application No.: 10/809,457

Group Art Unit: 2416

Filed: March 26, 2004

Examiner: Chandrahas B. Patel

For: METHOD FOR TRANSMITTING REAL-TIME DATA MESSAGES IN A CYCLIC  
COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**Attention: After Final**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed  
April 24, 2009 finally rejecting claims 1-24.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. EXTENSION OF TIME PETITION AND FEE

X Attached is a petition for a one-month extension of  
time for reply to the final rejection. \$ 130.00

2. APPEAL FEE

X Other than a small entity 540.00

TOTAL FEE \$ 670.00

3. PAYMENT


☒ Check attached for the total fee of \$ 670.00.

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Respectfully submitted,

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